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35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

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Title

SPATIAL SURFACE PRIOR INFORMATION REFLECTANCE
ESTIMATION (SPIRE) ALGORITHMS

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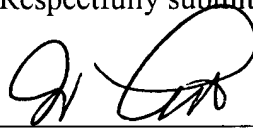
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REMARKS

The purpose of this response is to file the nonpublication request for the above cited application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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